

House District 8

Joseph W. “Joe” Miller, Republican



DATE OF BIRTH: May 10, 1967

PLACE OF BIRTH: Osborne, Kansas

NAME OF SPOUSE: Kathleen

CHILDREN:

Kelsey (15), Katy (13), Joe (11), Jacob (9), Joshua (7), Kassia (5), James (3), Kristianna (1).

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LENGTH OF RESIDENCY IN ALASKA: 10 years
Interior 1998-present
Anchorage 1994-1998

OCCUPATION: Attorney

EDUCATION:

United States Military Academy, West Point, Bachelor of Science; Yale Law School, Juris Doctorate.

MILITARY:

U.S. Army; U.S. Army Reserves (IRR); Captain; Armor Branch, Bronze Star Medal, Meritorious Service Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Southwest Asia Service Medal with Three Bronze Stars; National Defense Service Medal, Kuwait Liberation Medal, Air Assault Badge, Parachute Badge; honorable discharge.

POLITICAL AND GOVERNMENT POSITIONS:

United States Magistrate Judge, 2002-2004; Adjunct Professor, University of Alaska Fairbanks, 2004; State Acting District Court Judge, 2002; State Magistrate, Superior Court Master, 1998-2002; Intern, Alaska Department of Law, 1994.

SERVICE ORGANIZATION(S) MEMBERSHIP:

Greater Fairbanks Chamber of Commerce; Veterans of Foreign Wars (life member); Alaska Outdoor Council; Association of the United States Army; Military Officers Association of America; Tanana Valley Bar Association.

SPECIAL INTERESTS:

Fishing, archery, hunting, amateur radio, horses.

STATEMENT:

My fellow Alaskans,

I'm excited about our state's future! Our district is a bright shining example of the wealth of talents and resources upon which Alaskans may secure their future. Within District 8, we are blessed with a top-rate university system, diverse K-12 educational choices, an international airport, a world-renown national park, a large section of the Alaska Rail Road, a military base (Clear AFB), a massive coal mine, and untapped resources.

To be sure, our state faces serious challenges over the next several years. Much of our economy is propped up by federal dollars that could dry-up at any-time. Our oil reserves are finite. Our university's positive growth will require additional funding. But together, we can meet these challenges and build an economy that will produce jobs and generate revenues.

As a parent, I know it is absolutely critical that we create Alaskan jobs and educational opportunities so that our children have the option to seek success here rather than Outside. Such opportunities also ensure that our families have access to livable wages. Facilitating this, however, requires fresh ideas in Juneau.

Although there are no simple solutions, my solid training in the law along with my education, experience, and problem-solving abilities will bring a new level of competency to Juneau. With your vote on November 2nd, I will work tirelessly toward the goal of securing our future in Alaska!

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